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In re Application of:)
Walter J. Petersen et al.)
Serial No. 10/706,607)
Filed 11/12/2003) Group Art Unit 3671
For WALK AERATOR WITH GROUND) Examiner C. Novosad
FOLLOWING CORING HEAD,)
INBOARD WHEELS,)
ASSEMBLED MULTI-PART)
CRANKSHAFT, INTEGRAL)
CORE DEFLECTORS, AND)
SHORTENED CORING HEAD)
DEPTH)

AMENDMENT OF INVENTORSHIP UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(b)
AND REQUEST TO CORRECT OFFICIAL FILING RECEIPT

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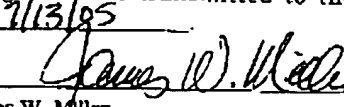
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.48(b), please amend the inventorship of the above-identified patent application by deleting the names of Walter J. Petersen and Michael J. Gilbert, whose invention is no longer being claimed in the above-identified patent application due to cancellation of claims during prosecution.

Mr. Gilbert's name was erroneously omitted by the PTO form the Updated Official Filing Receipt dated June 18, 2004.

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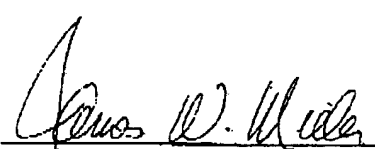
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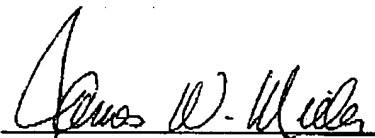
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